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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed October 4, 2006, the shortened statutory period for which runs until January 4, 2007.